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First Named Inventor: Liat Mintz

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Sir:

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 501447 (Potter Anderson & Corroon LLP).

Respectfully submitted,

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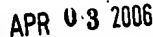
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